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Washington to make agricultural and
horticultural displays is offered as a
result of the holding of the Northwest
Land Products Exposition at Seattle
October 4 to 14.
This will be the first show of the
kind ever staged in Seattle and the
whole of the Northwest is invited to
participate. The exhibition has the
endorsement of commercial bodies and
the railroads and the purpose of the
display will be to bring about a better
understanding of the many opportuni-
ties offered to homeseekers in the
Northwest.

In addition to displays from Oregon
and Washington, Idaho and Montana
will send exhibits of fruits, grains and
grasses. Alaska, too, will have a sec-
tion set aside for agricultural displays
and British Columbia will have a part
in the undertaking.
Oregon, Idaho and Montana will
combine on a special day at the expo-
sition. From Montana is coming an
exhibit under the authority of the
state and a special excursion party
composed of more than 100 business
men. It is hoped to have the govern-
ors of Montana, Idaho and Oregon as
well as the governor of Alaska and
the Premier of British Columbia pres-
ent at the exposition the same day.
Since Portland will not repeat its
annual land show this year, the Seat-
tle exposition will afford exhibitors at
the Salem fair an opportunity to place
their displays before thousands of visi-
tors in the Washington metropolis
and bring the truthful story of Ore-
gon's countless opportunities to the at-
tention of many men and women in-
terested in a home on the land.

A Deciduous Tree.
John Drew was congratulated at the
Players in Gramercy park on the
abundant hair with which, despite his
years, he is still blessed.
"Thank goodness," said Drew, com-
placently, "I'm not like Tree."
"Tree went into a Los Angeles bar-
ber shop the other day and said:
"Can you cut my hair without my
taking off my collar?"
"The barber, with a loud laugh,
slipped Tree's pink and polished dome
jocularly.
"Why, bless your heart, Sir Her-
bert," he said, "I could cut it without
your taking off your hat."—Wash-
ington Star.

Queer, But True.
"It's a queer world."
"Why?"
"Stand up and say that riches don't
make for happiness and everybody
will agree with you heartily."
"That he is."
"And everybody will go out and keep
right on trying to get rich."—Detroit
Free Press.

Excellent Plan.
"Why do you work the back alleys,
my good fellow? You don't look like
a tramp."
"I'm not. I'm selling a vacuum
cleaner, and wherever I find the head
of the house beating rugs I have a
good chance for a sale."—Louisville
Courier-Journal.

Affection's Pangs.
"Do you love your country?"
"Of course I do," replied Senator
Sorghum. "And I don't mind saying
that it gets me riled to see my country
flirting with people who don't be-
long to my political party."—Wash-
ington Star.

He Didn't Entouse.
"I saw some nice gowns today, hub-
by."
"Ugh."
"May I have one? They're very
fetching."
"All depends. What are they fetch-
ing?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Her Guests.
"We're going to have company at
our house," said Rose Elizabeth, age
4. "And I'll bet you don't know who
it is, either."
"Who is it?"
"Two lady girls and a gentle boy."
—Indianapolis News.

The Way of It.
"There was a great wreck of schoon-
ers lately."
"How was that?"
"The police raided the place just as
the schooners were crossing the bar."
—Baltimore American.

In Desperate Straits.
"What do you think of a man with
a rent in his coat and only three but-
tons on his vest?"
"He should either get married or
divorced."—London Saturday Evening
Journal.

His Start.
"I hear, Miss Gladys, that your
brother is ambitious to break records."
"Well, he's begun practicing with
the most expensive one we bought for
our Victoria."—Baltimore American.

**DAMAGE TO WHEAT
SENDS PRICES UP**

Reports of Hail, Black Rust and Blight
Cause of Sudden Advance.

SPRING CROP BADLY AFFECTED

Most Damage in North Dakota, Min-
nesota and Manitoba—Orders
Cancelled by Merchants.

Chicago—Hail, black rust and blight
damage to the spring wheat crop of
the Northwest caused an advance of 4
cents a bushel on the Chicago board of
trade Saturday. A 6-cent advance was
scored Thursday. At the high record
prices were 33 cents higher than the
low point in June. September closed
at \$1.34. December at \$1.38, and
May at \$1.43.

Reports reached the trade that in
some sections of North Dakota and
Southern Manitoba the crop had been
ruined by hail Wednesday night and
Thursday. Several large insurance
companies with headquarters in Chi-
cago received messages saying that
the crop was a total loss.

Most of the hail damage was in the
northern part of North Dakota. The
crop in Bottineau county is ruined.
Mercantile companies in that section
have cancelled all orders for future de-
livery. Even orders for such neces-
sities as shoes and stoves have been can-
celled.

Ordinarily a 33-cent advance in the
price of wheat in a little more than a
month brings fortunes to many of the
big operators on the board of trade.
That has not been true during the
present rise. Nearly all of the big lo-
cal traders have been fighting the mar-
ket, or rather fighting the damage re-
ports, and prices have gone up without
their aid.

Even the Northwest, where the
damage was taking place, was a seller
of wheat in this market until a few
days ago. That caused the belief that
the damage reports were exaggerated
by the market bulls.

Some of the board's exporters have
made large winnings, and a coterie of
Wall-street grain men, who are said to
have large holdings of wheat under
\$1.20 a bushel, are credited with prof-
its of about \$2,000,000.

The disaster in the Northwest has
proved a blessing to the winter wheat
growers. Thirty days ago they were
able to get only \$1 a bushel for their
grain. Now the price is a third
higher.

**Shackleton Fails to Rescue His
Men From Elephant Island**

London—Sir Ernest Shackleton has
again failed to rescue the main body
of his Antarctic expedition left on
Elephant island, says the Daily Chronicle,
and has returned to the Falkland is-
lands.

Sir Ernest returned on board the
steamer Emma, says a Reuter dispatch
from Port Stanley. The ship was
forced back by heavy gales and ice and
it was found impossible to get near
Elephant island through the pack ice.
The ship was badly damaged, the en-
gines were damaged, and the Emma
was obliged to proceed under sail.

Sir Ernest, the correspondent adds,
recognizes that it is useless to force a
passage with a light ship and he is
waiting for the steamer Discovery to
come from England.

**French Retake Three-Mile Strip
From Germans at Verdun**

London—Joffre's men are masters
now of a bloodstained strip of ground
three miles long and about a mile deep
just north of Verdun, which they have
won from the Germans in one of the
most hotly-fought and bloody battles
of the long struggle on the Meuse. At
the close of three days of their offen-
sive they have conquered ground
which it took the Crown Prince's army
more than four weeks to wrest from
them.

Fishing Pact May Pass.
Washington, D. C.—Senator Lane,
who has been stoutly opposing the bill
heretofore passed by the house ratify-
ing the compact between the states of
Oregon and Washington, under which
they propose to exercise joint jurisdic-
tion over fisheries in the Columbia
river, is showing signs of relenting.
If he does this the bill will pass, as
Senator Lane alone has prevented its
passage on several occasions. The fail-
ure of the opposing fishermen to file
initiative petitions robbed Senator
Lane of his chief ground of opposition.

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Only a Lady in the Making.
Five-year-old Freddy often showed
pugilistic tendencies. One day he had
been using his fists on 3-year-old sis-
ter Helen. His visiting auntie said,
"Freddy, don't you know that a gen-
tleman never strikes a lady?"
Instantly Helen stopped crying and
exclaimed, "They do, too."
"Why, Helen," said auntie. "When
did you ever see a gentleman strike a
lady?"

With an air of convincing proof, the
little maid replied, "Why, my daddy
spanks me."—Christian Herald.

Bringing it Home to Her.
"I'm glad to know," said the Bill-
ville matron, "that there's such a
thing as a conscience fund in this
country and people are secretly re-
turning to the government the money
they embezzled from it. How nice!"
"Yes," growled the old man. "It is
nice; and if I had all the dollars and
dimes you've friked from my pockets
overnight, there'd be a home-consci-
ence fund that would be a great relief
to both of us."—Atlanta Constitution.

Twice Worse.
A German spy was being marched
on a very rainy day to the tower.
"What brutes you English are," he
said, "to march me through a rain like
this!"
"But how about us?" grumbled one
of his escort. "It's worse for us.
We've got to march back."—London
Opinion.

Important Service.
"Weren't you the favorite son of
your state?"
"Yes. I was of considerable service
in that capacity."
"How?"
"I helped to make the party look as
if it had more than one man it would
consider if it wanted to."—Washing-
ton Star.

Of Course
"Why do you always have to be ex-
amined by a doctor before you can get
life insurance?"
"I presume the company wants to
know whether or not you are strong
enough to carry it."—Detroit Free
Press.

Good Idea.
"Do you think anybody will find out
about my hair being false?"
"Keep it under your hat," advised
the helpful saleslady.—Louisville Cou-
rier-Journal.

Not Always.
"Like always produces like."
"Does it? Then just you try to get
some cold cash from a snowbank."—
Baltimore American.

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HIS WIFE**

**Stopped Most Terrible Suffering
by Getting Her Lydia
E. Pinkham's Vegeta-
ble Compound.**

Denison, Texas.—"After my little
girl was born two years ago I began suf-
fering with female
trouble and could
hardly do my work.

**NORTHWEST MARKET REPORTS;
GENERAL CROP CONDITIONS**

Portland—Wheat—Bluestem, \$1.05
per bushel; fortyfold, 98c; club, 97c;
red life, 97c; red Russian, 97c.
Millfeed—Spot prices: Bran, \$26@
28.50 per ton; shorts, \$29@29.50; rol-
led barley, \$31.50@32.50.
Corn—Whole, \$38 per ton; cracked,
\$39.

Hay—Producers' prices: Timothy,
Eastern Oregon, \$18.50@20 per ton;
alfalfa, \$13.50 @ 14.50; wheat hay,
\$13.50@14.50; oat and vetch, \$12@
12.50; cheat, \$11; clover, \$10.
Butter—Cubes, extras, 25c per
pound. Jobbing prices: Prints, ex-
tras, 27@29c; butterfat, No. 1, 26c;
No. 2, 24c, Portland.

Eggs—Oregon ranch, exchange
price, current receipts, 25c per dozen;
Jobbing prices: Oregon ranch, can-
dled, 25 1/2@27c; select, 27@28c.
Poultry—Ask Anybody
About It
Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00

Vegetables—Artichokes, 75c@81c per
dozen; tomatoes, 50c@1.10 per crate;
cabbage, \$1.75 per hundred; garlic,
10c per pound; peppers, 6@7c; egg-
plant, 10c; lettuce, \$1 per crate; cu-
cubers, 75@80c per box; peas, 4@5c
per pound; beans, 4@7c; celery, \$1
per dozen; corn, 30@40c.
Potatoes—New, \$1.05 @ 1.85 per
sack.

Onions—California, \$2 per sack;
Walla Walla, \$2 per sack.
Green Fruits—Apples, new, \$1.25@
1.75 per box; cherries, 5@10c per
pound; cantaloupes, 90c@2 per crate;
peaches, 35@75c per box; watermel-
ons, 1 1/2@1 1/4 per pound; figs, \$1@1.50
per box; plums, 75c@1.35; pears, \$1
@2; apricots, \$1@1.10; grapes, \$1.75
@2.25; blackberries, \$1.25; loganber-
ries, \$1.25; raspberries, \$1.50@1.75.
Hops—1916 crop, 8@11c per pound;
1916 contracts, nominal.

Wool—Eastern Oregon, fine, 23@
26c; coarse, 30@32c; valley, 30@33c.
Cascara Bark—Old and new, 4c per
pound.

Cattle—Steers, choice, \$7@7.50;
good, \$6@7; cows, good, \$5.50@6.25;
heifers, \$4 @ 6.50; bulls, \$3 @ 4.75;
stags, \$4.50@6.
Hogs—Prime light, \$8.50@9.35;
good to prime, \$7.75@8.10; rough
heavy, \$7.50@7.75; pigs and skops,
\$6.50@7.10.
Sheep—Yearlings, \$5.75 @ 6.25;
wethers, \$4.75@5; ewes, \$2.50@3.50;
lambs, \$6@8.25.

Hop Crop Is Doing Well.

The Oregon hop crop is doing well
and hop men are particularly pleased
with the condition of the yards. The
market is decidedly dull.
The Chicago Brewers' Bulletin says
of the trade situation in the East:
"Brewers are not buying except an
occasional small lot for immediate
wants. Most of the brewers are cov-
ered by contract for some months to
come. Dealers are offering to sell at
somewhat lower figures than of late,
the decline in the Coast markets hav-
ing made itself felt in the local and
Eastern trade."

The British embargo on hops is not
very strict, according to the Kentish
Observer, which says: "Notwith-
standing the fact that the order pro-
hibiting the importation of foreign hops
came into force on June 8, imports
continue to be received. The Board
of Agriculture reports that the im-
ports for last week were 6195 cwt.,
against 3334 cwt. in the corresponding
week of 1915. The exports were:
British, 390 cwt., against 482 cwt. in
1915; foreign and colonial, 199 cwt.,
against 21 cwt. in 1915."

Big Prune Crop Indicated.

Ridgefield, Wash.—Prune growers
in this part of the county are jubilant
over the bright prospects for one of
the greatest prune crops in its history,
notwithstanding the large damage
done by the silver thaw last winter.
Although it is about six weeks before
harvest, trees in the orchards are
breaking down under the load of green
fruit. In some prune orchards the
branches are already strewn with broken
branches and growers have been shak-
ing their trees rigorously in an effort
to prevent further damage.

U. S. Buys Cavalry Horses.
Lewiston, Idaho—A delivery of eight
horses has just been made by Charles
Melkert, of the Upper Snake river, to
Martin & Reed, buyers of cavalry
horses for the United States govern-
ment. A shipment of horses will be
made Tuesday, going to Los Angeles
for government inspection. The horses
delivered by Mr. Melkert averaged
1100 pounds and the price was \$100
each. Mr. Melkert stated the season
has been favorable for stockmen and
that the range in the upriver section is
in good condition.

Harvesting Starts Near Dayton.
Dayton, Wash.—Harvest started up
quite generally over Columbia county
Wednesday and will continue well into
September in many parts. The yield
this year is barely normal, though bet-
ter than was expected, owing to the
lateness of the season. The light land
in the northern part of the county is
ring the heaviest, though there are
very few red wheat at the

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Too Late.
This story was told by Admiral
Dewey of the United States navy.
One afternoon the business agent
for a Chautauqua went to a prosperous
town to see some of the natives with
regard to booking a performance and
finally landed in the office of Jones.
"Yes, I am Mr. Jones," said the oc-
cupant, "What can I do for you?"
"I called to see you about a Chau-
tauqua," returned the visitor.
"Nothing doing," curtly interrupted
Jones. "My wife and I have already
decided on a car of another make."
—Kansas City Star.

Jarring Colors.
Mrs. Youngbride—I'd like to change
these eggs I ordered by telephone yes-
terday.
Grocer—What's wrong with them,
m'am?
Mrs. Youngbride—Why, the shells
are a deep brown and the only eggs
I have are a robin's egg blue.—
Boston Transcript.

Preparedness.
"When my husband proposed to me
the poor fellow's voice stuck in his
throat."
"Then how did you know he was
proposing?"
"Well, you see, I was afraid that
might happen so I had taken lessons
in lip reading."—Boston Transcript.

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Answered Well.
Peckem—Why is the telephone like
matrimony, my dear?
Mrs. Peckem—Oh, I suppose it's be-
cause one doesn't always get the right
party.
Peckem—That isn't the right an-
swer—but it is good and we'll let it go
at that.—Brooklyn Citizen.

A Pessimistic View.
"Are you at work on a party plat-
form?"
"Yes. And it's a thankless sort of
task. The only planks in party plat-
forms that people are likely to recall
are those that you might be just as
well satisfied to have them forget."
—Washington Star.

The Human Touch.
"It doesn't make any difference how
rich a man gets."
"What now?"
"You can bet he likes to sit down
to the table in his shirt sleeves and
go up against a good old-fashioned
boiled dinner once in a while."—De-
troit Free Press.

Spelled by the Exception.
"How did you find your dinner when
you came home late last night?"
"Pretty good, except the course my
wife had in the bill of fare of
with hard sauce."
—

Forest Notes.
The first act of Congress relating
to forestry was an appropriation of
\$200,000, passed in 1799, for the
purpose of acquiring timber for naval
construction. Under this appropria-
tion the government established re-
serves containing live oak as the best
timber for shipbuilding.

The turpentine industry of southern
France is a man-made industry. Out
of shifting, barren sand dunes and a
malaria, poverty-stricken region, the
French government, through reclama-
tion and planting of maritime pine,
has made one of the most prosperous
and salubrious sections of France. A
century ago the barren sand dunes of
southern France could be bought at
any price. Today this barren land
within the reclaimed area is worth at
the lowest \$2.50 per acre, while the
best brings as high as \$24.00 per acre.

The amount of standing hardwood
timber in this country has been vari-
ously estimated at from 400 to 500
billion feet. About 340 billion of this
is in the southern states.

Volunteer fire fighters, when need-
ed, are summoned to the aid of the
forest rangers by the blowing of a
certain signal on steam whistles in
many towns in or near national for-
ests in southern California.

Father's Wisdom.
"Father, Alfred has something to
say to you tonight."
"Well, and what have you and your
mother decided I must tell him?"
—London Saturday Evening Journal.

The Remedy.
"This prisoner is hot under the col-
lar, captain."
"Then put him in the cooler."—Bal-
timore American.

**WELL KNOWN PORTLAND WOMAN SPEAKS
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of Dr. Pierce's Pa-
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very delicate girl
before using your
medicine.
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liar to women and found it perfectly
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Syrup' and thinks it is great."—Miss
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When a girl becomes a woman, when
a woman becomes a mother, when a
woman passes through the changes of
middle life, are the three periods of
life when health and strength are most
needed to withstand the pain and dis-
tress often caused by severe organic
disturbances.

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